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ANIMAL RIGHTS AND RESEARCH TO BE DISCUSSED AT UD SEMINAR

A panel of speakers from the University of Dayton and Wright State University will discuss "Animal Rights and Scientific and Medical Research" on Saturday, March 11 from 1 to 4 p.m. in the multi-purpose room of the Virginia W. Kettering Residence Hall on the UD campus. The annual Life Science Seminar is sponsored by Beta Beta Beta, UD's biology club, and is free and open to the public.

The discussion will focus on the ethical issues of animal rights and the implication on scientific and medical research. Information on both points of view will be presented and the audience will be invited to participate.

Participating from UD will be Paul H. Benson, assistant professor of philosophy; Randall J. Breitwisch, assistant professor of biology; and Brother Bruce Giffin, S.M., assistant professor of biology. Robert Stuhlman, director of animal laboratory resources at Wright State University, and Michael Budke, a representative of the People Animal Network, will also be on the panel.

For further information on the Life Sciences Seminar, contact Chris Stander at (513) 229-2509.

NATIONAL MOOT COURT COMPETITION FINALS SLATED FOR SATURDAY

The final round of the National Administrative Law Moot Court Competition will be held Saturday, March 11 at 2 p.m. in the U.S. District Courtroom on the ninth floor of the Federal District Court Building, 200 W. Second St. in Dayton. This is the 10th year that the competition has been hosted by the University of Dayton School of Law.

The final two teams from a field of 16 will argue a case that is similar to two lawsuits that resulted from the 1988 presidential election. The question concerns the ability of a defeated political candidate to sue the Internal Revenue Service over the tax-exempt status of an organization that supported his or her opponent during a campaign. Teams from law schools across the nation will be competing in the preliminary rounds on Thursday and Friday.

The panel of judges for the final round will include Danny J. Boggs, judge of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 6th Circuit; Walter Rice, U.S. District Court judge in Dayton; and Michael Merz, U.S. magistrate for the U.S. District Court in Dayton.

Although the competition is closed, the media is invited to cover the awards ceremony at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday in the U.S. District Courtroom.

For further information on the national moot court competition, contact Cooley Howarth at the UD School of Law at (513) 229-2841.



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